

**IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
FOR THE DISTRICT OF MARYLAND**

**UNITED STATES OF AMERICA**

**v.**

**RAKIN ISLAM CHOWDHURY,**

**Defendant**

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**CRIMINAL NO. GJH-16-600**

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**NOTICE OF INTENT TO REQUEST JUDICIAL REMOVAL**

The United States of America, by and through its attorneys, hereby files this notice of intent to request judicial removal. In support thereof, the Government states as follows:

1. The defendant is not a citizen or national of the United States.
2. The defendant is a native and citizen of Bangladesh.
3. The defendant was admitted to the United States as a non-immigrant visitor, with a B2 visa, on or about June 5, 2015, with authorization to remain in the United States until December 4, 2015.
4. The defendant's authorization to remain in the United States has expired.
5. On September 25, 2017, the defendant pleaded guilty to Count One of an Indictment charging him with attempting to provide material support and resources to a foreign terrorist organization, in violation of 18 U.S.C. § 2339B. The maximum term of imprisonment is 20 years.
6. The defendant is, and at sentencing will be, subject to removal from the United States pursuant to 8 U.S.C. § 1227(a)(1)(B) and 1227(a)(4)(B).

Accordingly, pursuant to 8 U.S.C. § 1228(c), the Government requests that the Court, at the time of sentencing, order that the defendant be removed from the United States to Bangladesh.

Respectfully submitted,

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